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TITLE: Driving safety devices in motor vehicle involves determining age/gender from image acquisition data for particular occupant by pattern comparison, triggering safety systems accordingly

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BASIC-ABSTRACT:

NOVELTY - The method involves detecting anthropometric data depending on sensor and/or image acquisition (1,2) systems for the occupants relevant to the safety devices and generating corresponding triggering of the safety systems in the event of a crash. An age determination and/or gender determination is made from the image acquisition data for a particular occupant using pattern comparison and the safety systems are triggered (4) accordingly.

USE - For driving safety devices in a motor vehicle.

ADVANTAGE - Enables improved passenger specification for optimal triggering of the safety systems.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - Shows a schematic representation of an implementation of the method

camera 1

image acquisition unit 2

logic 3

trigger unit 4

crash sensor 5

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DRAWING:

TITLE-TERMS: DRIVE SAFETY DEVICE MOTOR VEHICLE DETERMINE AGE GENDER
IMAGE ACQUIRE DATA OCCUPY PATTERN COMPARE TRIGGER
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